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**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**

HOUTAN PETROLEUM, INC.) CASE NO. CV 07-05627 SC
v.)
Plaintiff,)
) **JOINT STIPULATION TO CONTINUE**
) **THE HEARING AND BRIEFING**
) **SCHEDULE ON DEFENDANT,**
) **CONOCOPHILLIPS COMPANY'S**
) **MOTION FOR COSTS AND ATTORNEYS'**
) **FEES AND TO EXTEND THE TIME FOR**
) **PLAINTIFF TO FILE ANY OBJECTIONS**
) **TO DEFENDANT'S BILL OF COSTS**
) **PURSUANT TO LOCAL RULE 54-2**
CONOCOPHILLIPS COMPANY, a Texas)
Corporation and DOES 1 through 10,)
Inclusive)
Defendants.)
) **Current Hearing Date:** Nov. 21, 2008
) **Proposed New Hearing Date:** Dec. 12, 2008
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) **Time:** 10:00 a.m.
) **Courtroom:** 1
) **Before:** Hon. Samuel Conti
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1 WHEREAS, on October 6, 2008, Defendant, ConocoPhillips Company filed its Motion
2 for Attorneys' Fees and Costs, with a hearing date of November 21, 2008.

3 WHEREAS, under the current hearing date, Plaintiff, Houtan Petroleum, Inc.'s opposition
4 to the Motion for Attorneys' Fees and Costs is due by October 31, 2008.

5 WHEREAS, on October 6, 2008, Defendant, ConocoPhillips Company filed its Bill of
6 Costs as to Plaintiff Houtan Petroleum, Inc.

7 WHEREAS, on October 15, 2008, the Court signed the Order extending the time for
8 Plaintiff, Houtan Petroleum, Inc. to file any objections to the Bill of Costs pursuant to Local Rule
9 54-2 to October 31, 2008.

10 WHEREAS, the parties are still in the process of settlement discussions.

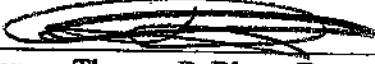
11 WHEREFORE, the parties, by and through their counsel of record, stipulate that the
12 hearing on ConocoPhillips Company's Motion for Attorneys' Fees and Costs may be continued to
13 December 12, 2008 and that Plaintiff's Opposition to this Motion may be filed in accordance with
14 Local Rules by no later than November 21, 2008.

15 WHEREFORE, the parties, by and through their counsel of record, further stipulate that
16 the time for Plaintiff to file any objections to Defendant's Bill of Costs pursuant to Local Rule
17 54-2 may be extended to November 21, 2008.

18 SO STIPULATED.

19 Dated: October ___, 2008

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By: Thomas P. Bleau, Esq.

21 Attorneys for Plaintiff, Houtan Petroleum, Inc.

22 Dated: October 28, 2008

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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

HOUTAN PETROLEUM, INC.) CASE NO. CV 07-05627 SC
Plaintiff,)
v.) [PROPOSED] ORDER CONTINUING
CONOCOPHILLIPS COMPANY, a Texas) HEARING AND BRIEFING SCHEDULE ON
Corporation and DOES 1 through 10,) CONOCOPHILLIPS COMPANY'S MOTION
Inclusive) FOR COSTS AND ATTORNEYS' FEES AND
Defendants.) EXTENDING THE TIME FOR PLAINTIFF
) TO FILE ANY OBJECTIONS TO
) DEFENDANT'S BILL OF COSTS
) PURSUANT TO LOCAL RULE 54-2
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Pursuant to the Joint Stipulation between the parties and for good cause, the hearing on ConocoPhillips Company's Motion for Attorneys' Fees and Costs is hereby continued to December 12, 2008.

Plaintiff's opposition to ConocoPhillips Company's Motion for Attorneys Fees and Costs shall be filed in accordance with Local Rules by no later than November 21, 2008.

The time for Plaintiff, Houtan Petroleum, Inc., to file any objections to Defendant's Bill of Costs pursuant to Local Rule 54-2, is hereby extended to November 21, 2008.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: October 29, 2008

By: Hon. Samuel Conti, United States District Court

